

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
(RICHMOND DIVISION)

GOLDEN BETHUNE-HILL, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

VIRGINIA STATE BOARD OF
ELECTIONS, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:14-cv-00852-REP-GBL-BMK

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION OF THE VIRGINIA HOUSE OF DELEGATES
AND VIRGINIA HOUSE OF DELEGATES
SPEAKER WILLIAM J. HOWELL TO INTERVENE**

Upon consideration of the Motion of the Virginia House of Delegates and Virginia House of Delegates Speaker William J. Howell to Intervene (the “Motion”) filed herein, the Court having considered the Motion, the Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support thereof, any opposition thereto, and any oral argument thereon, and it appearing to the Court after due deliberation that the relief requested is appropriate and will facilitate efficient resolution of this case, it is by the Court this ____ day of _____, 2015,

ORDERED, that the Motion be, and it is hereby, granted; and it is further

ORDERED, that the Virginia House of Delegates and Virginia House of Delegates Speaker William J. Howell are each permitted to intervene as a defendant in the above-captioned proceeding as a matter of right; and it is further

ORDERED, that the proposed Answer of the Defendant-Intervenors, which is attached as Exhibit A to the Motion, is deemed filed as of the date of this Order.

Hon. United States Judge

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